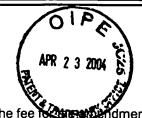
COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF Docket No. TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(2) (Smart Entity) 03940077PA In Re Application Of: Betenbaugh et al. Serial No. Filing Date Examiner **Group Art Unit** 09/930,440 08/16/2001 M. Rao 1652 Invention: ENGINEERING INTRACELLULAR SIALYLATION PATHWAYS TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of ______in the above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months from: 03/25/2004 until: 04/24/2004 Date Date A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27: ☐ is enclosed. , has already been filed in this application. The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below: **CLAIMS AS AMENDED CLAIMS REMAINING HIGHEST #** NUMBER EXTRA **ADDITIONAL** RATE AFTER AMENDMENT PREV. PAID FOR **CLAIMS PRESENT** FEE **TOTAL CLAIMS** 188 55 133 \$9.00 \$1,197.00 INDEP. CLAIMS 16 7 \$43.00 х \$387.00 \$1,584.00 **FEE FOR AMENDMENT** FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME \$55.00 TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME \$1,639.00

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